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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,

vs.

MELVIN DILLON, and ROBERT DILLON,  
Defendants.

CASE NO: 2:19-cr-00149-JAD-EJY

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND PRETRIAL  
MOTION DEADLINE**

(First Request)

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by MELVIN DILLON, by and through his attorney, CHRISTOPHER R. ORAM, ESQ., ROBERT DILLON, by and through his attorney, RICHARD A. WRIGHT, ESQ., and the United States of America, by and through KIMBERLY SOKOLICH, ESQ., Assistant United States Attorney, that the pretrial motion deadline, currently scheduled for January 7, 2021, be extended for a period of fourteen (14) days, until January 21, 2022.

The request for a continuance is based upon the following:

1. Defense Counsel for Melvin Dillon has tested positive for COVID-19 and requests this extension to allow him to recover before finalizing any plans regarding pretrial motions.
2. The parties agree to the continuance.
3. Defendant Melvin Dillon is in custody, and he does not oppose the requested continuance.

1           4.     Defendant Robert Dillon is in custody, and he does not oppose the requested  
2           continuation.

3           5.     The additional time requested herein will not affect the currently scheduled  
4           trial date. The additional time requested by this stipulation is excludable in  
5           computing the time within which a trial must commence pursuant to the  
6           Speedy Trial Act under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(1)(D) and 3161(h)(7)(A), and  
7           18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i) and (iv).

8           6.     The additional time requested herein is not sought for purposes of delay.

9           7.     Additionally, denial of this request for continuance could result in a  
10          miscarriage of justice and would deny Defense Counsel for Melvin Dillon  
11          sufficient time to prepare and submit any pretrial motions effectively, taking  
12          into account the exercise of due diligence.

13       DATED: January 10, 2022

14               Respectfully submitted,

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**ORDER**

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**FINDINGS OF FACT**

Based on the pending Stipulation of counsel, and good cause appearing therefore, the Court finds:

1. Defense Counsel for Melvin Dillon has tested positive for COVID-19 and requests this extension to allow him to recover before finalizing any plans regarding pretrial motions.
2. The parties agree to the continuance.
3. Defendant Melvin Dillon is in custody, and he does not oppose the requested continuance.
4. Defendant Robert Dillon is in custody, and he does not oppose the requested continuance.

- ## CONCLUSION OF LAW

## ORDER

DATED AND DONE this 10th day of January, 2022.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE